I. **AMENDMENT**

-- Please delete claims 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, and 14 without prejudice from consideration in this application.

Please amend the application to include the following claims:

-- 16. A tree stand recliner seat comprised of a support frame with said frame having a plurality of fittings configured for engagement of the respective corners of a flexible sling seat.

17. A tree stand according to claim 16 wherein said support frame comprises a plurality of fittings each configured for engagement of the respective corners of a flexible sling seat.

18. A tree stand according to claim 16 wherein said support frame is made of a rigid material of sufficient size to accommodate use by a human being.

19. A tree stand according to claim 18 wherein said rigid material has a shape to accommodate a flexible sling seat.

20. A tree stand according to claim 16 wherein said support frame has a means of joining said fittings to the side(s) of said support frame at spaced locations able to engage said sling seat.

21. A tree stand according to claim 16 wherein said sling seat is attached to said support frame fittings for speedy installation and removability.

22. A tree stand according to claim 17 wherein said support frame further comprises holes in the lower portion of said support frame wherein said holes align with corresponding holes in on or attached to an existing commercially available platform stand.

23. A treestand according to claim 16 wherein said flexible sling seat is capable of attachment and detachment to the said support allowing for sitting or access to said stand's platform for enhanced mobility.

24. A flexible sling seat according to claim 23 wherein said seat is capable of conforming

to the user's anatomical features.

25. A treestand according to claim 16 wherein said flexible sling seat is comprised of a material capable of supporting a user.

26. A support structure for use in a treestand comprising an upper support frame and a lower support frame, said upper support frame having two vertical side rails and a top horizontal rail, said lower support frame having two vertical side rails and a bottom horizontal rail, whereby on the top portion of the vertical side rails of the upper support means a means is provided to permanently or removably attach the respective top corner of a sling seat, and whereby on the middle portion of the vertical side rails of the lower support means a means is provided to removably attach the respective bottom corner of a sling seat;

whereby the upper support means is detachably affixed to the lower support means by an extended support from the vertical members of either the upper support means or the lower support means, said extended support having a cross section corresponding in size and shape to the inside dimension of the vertical members of the upper and lower support means, further comprising corresponding holes in the vertical support member and the extended support to allow for attachment to the upper support member and lower support member.

27. A sling seat for use in a treestand support frame consisting of a flexible material comprising separate cordage encircled within the top and bottom portion of said flexible material.

28. A sling seat according to claim 24 wherein each end of said cordage is knotted.

29. A sling seat according to claim 24 wherein each end of said cordage is a loop.

30. A device for modifying the seat portion of existing treestand support systems comprising:

a sling seat consisting of a flexible material comprising separate cordage

encircled within the top and bottom portion of said flexible material wherein each end of said cordage is knotted or is a loop,

two upper members each containing a means for supporting the ends of the cordage of said sling seat for attachment upon both sides of the upper portion of the vertical members of the existing treestand support system, and

two lower members each containing a plurality of means for supporting the ends of the cordage of said sling seat for attachment upon both sides of the middle portion of the vertical members of the existing treestand support system such that a variety of configurations may be chosen when said lower members are affixed to the existing treestand support system.

31. A treestand according to claim 1 wherein said support structure may further comprise a ladder, free standing structure, or a climbing apparatus.

32. A treestand according to claim 8 wherein said support structure may further comprise a ladder, free standing structure, or a climbing apparatus.--